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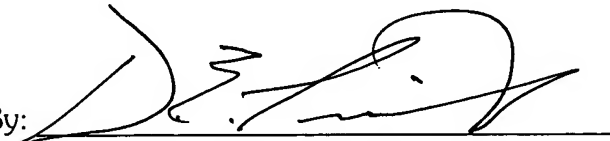
Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, in connection with the above-identified patent application, the Applicant calls to the attention of the United States Patent and Trademark Office the seven (7) references and International Search Report listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. A copy of the International Search Report and the three cited references which are not U.S. patent documents is enclosed.

The Applicant requests that the Examiner review the seven (7) references and International Search Report, and make an independent determination of their relevance.

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